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STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO MEET THIS WEEK AT IDAHO STATE UNIVERSITY

(Boise). The Idaho State Board of Education will meet this Wednesday and Thursday, August 9 and 10, 2017, in Pocatello on the campus of Idaho State University. The meetings, which are open to the public, will be held in the Pond Student Union Building.

At 10:00 AM (MDT), Wednesday, the State Board meeting will begin with an annual report by Idaho State University administration and a campus tour. Wednesday's work session will include a review of the current draft of Idaho's consolidated state plan being developed in accordance with the federal Every Student Succeeds Act. The plan, which is a requirement for receiving federal education funding, details how the state will comply with federal elementary and secondary education laws.

The State Board will convene again Thursday morning at 8:00 AM (MDT). Highlights of the agenda include consideration of a resolution approving a petition to include Bingham County in the College of Eastern Idaho Community College District. The Board will also consider approval of the Master Educator Premium standards and rubric, which have been developed to determine the eligibility of a teacher or pupil service staff to receive a state-funded salary bonus. Later that day, the State Board will receive an Academic Progress Report for Boise State, Idaho State University and University of Idaho athletic programs.

The agenda, meeting materials and a link to live streaming are available on the State Board's web site at https://boardofed.idaho.gov/event/board-meeting-isu/.

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